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Attorney Docket No. 0341-0030.42

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In Re Application of:

Ron Waksman, M.D., et al.

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Examiner: Matthew Desanto

Art Unit: 3763

For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
TREATING A DESIRED AREA IN  
THE VASCULAR SYSTEM OF A  
PATIENT

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**RESPONSE (C) AFTER FINAL**

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicants have the following response to the Final Rejection dated May 6, 2005 in the  
above-identified application.

Applicants will address each of the Examiner's rejections in the order in which they appear in  
the Final Rejection.

**Claim Rejections - 35 USC §102**

In the Final Rejection, the Examiner rejects Claims 29-32 under 35 USC §102(b) as being  
anticipated by Ishiwara et al. (US 5,106,360). This rejection is respectfully traversed.